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The business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.  
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For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,  
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, August 1, 1895.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.  
AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, £1,000,000.  
RESERVED CAPITAL, £500,000.  
HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

Court of Directors.  
D. GRILLER, Esq., Chairman.  
CHAM KIR SIAN, Esq., Vice-Chairman.  
Kwan Hoi CHU, Esq., Secretary.  
GEO. W. F. PLATT, Esq., Treasurer.  
Interest for 12 months Fixed 5%.  
Hongkong, October 23, 1894.

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.  
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER 1853.  
HEAD OFFICE, LONDON.

CAPITAL PAID-UP ... £800,000  
RESERVE FUND ... £800,000  
INTEREST allowed on Current Account at the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily Balance.  
On Fixed Deposits for 12 months 4%  
" " " " " " " " 3%  
" " " " " " " " 2%  
T. H. WHITEHEAD, Manager.  
Hongkong, September 16, 1895.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Paid-up Capital, £10,000,000.  
Reserve Fund, £5,000,000.  
Provisions, £10,000,000.

Court of Directors.  
A. McCORMACK, Esq., Chairman.  
St. C. MURKIN, Esq., Deputy Chairman.  
Hon. J. H. Bell-Irving, Esq., J. Keane, Esq., G. H. Dore, Esq., T. H. Jackson, Esq., M. D. Bickel, Esq., R. Shaw, Esq., K. M. Gray, Esq., N. A. Shiba, Esq., Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, August 15, 1895.

HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.  
On Current Account at the rate of 2% per annum on the daily balance.  
On Fixed Deposits—  
For 3 months 2% per annum.  
" 6 " 3% " "  
" 12 " 4% " "

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, August 15, 1895.

THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED.

(Incorporated in Japan under the Authority of an Imperial Ordinance No. 39. Dated the 8th day of the 10th Month of the 20th Year of Meiji.)  
Subscribed Capital, Yen 12,000,000.  
Paid-up Capital, Yen 6,000,000.  
Reserve Fund, Yen 6,000,000.

HEAD OFFICE: YOKOHAMA, JAPAN.  
Branches and Agencies:  
Kobe, London, New York, Lyons, San Francisco, Hongkong, Bombay, Shanghai.

London Branch, 190, Bishopsgate Street, Within.  
London Branch, The Union Bank of London, Limited, The London Joint Stock Bank, Limited, The Parr's Banking Co., and the Alliance Bank, Limited.  
Shanghai Agency, No. 41, The Bund.  
Hongkong Agency, No. 5, The Central and the Hong Street.

Under the Authority of the Directors and with the sanction of the Japanese Ministry of Finance, the Yokohama Specie Bank, Limited, have this day opened an Agency at the 100, BARR & BLACK, San Francisco, and the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

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## Business Notices.

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#### Sporting Season 1896.

ELEY'S C. F. CASES LOADED with E.C. POWDER.  
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CARTRIDGE BAGS, CARTRIDGE BELTS.  
LOADING and CLEANING SETS.  
POWDER and SHOT MEASURES, DRAM FLASKS, WAD PUNCHES.  
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In one year—The Ocean S. S. Co., Liverpool, coated 35,157 tons; The Canada S. S. Co. coated 96,293 tons; Messrs. Gou & Co. coated 21,125 tons.  
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FIRE-CLAY WORKS, DEEP WATER BAY, HONGKONG.  
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PORTLAND CEMENT,  
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Feb. 1, 1895.

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TAPESTRIES,  
etc., etc., etc.  
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Hongkong, September 19, 1896.

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FANCY SUITINGS, DRESS, FROCK and MORNING COAT SUITINGS,  
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1909

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JAPAN:— ANAKA:— W. D. MOUTON:— Noon, 25th Sept.

LONDON:— MARSEILLES:— A. G. CUMET, R.N.:— About 1st Oct.

SHANGHAI:— MITSUBISHI:— J. L. LINDON, R.N.:— About 3rd Oct.

LONDON:— ROHILLA:— F. J. COLE:— Noon, 8th Oct.

LONDON:— JESS:— J. CHELLEW, R.N.:— About 15th Oct.

SNEY, M'ERNE & ADELAIDE:— MALACCA:— G. C. BENNING, R.N.:— About 16th Oct.

\* See Special Advertisement.

For Freight or Passage, and further Particulars, apply to  
F. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,  
Hongkong, September 24, 1896.

H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.

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COCKTAILS, &c.  
Per Bottle, Seventy-five Cents.

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Most Comfortable.

1923

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1892

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1893

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Hair Producer and Restorer.  
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### Milwaukee Beer.

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WATKINS & Co., HONGKONG.

Hongkong, September 17, 1896.

### THE HONGKONG BUTCHERY.

#### VEAL SAUSAGES,

25 CENTS per pound.

J. TATAM, Proprietor.

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### Auctions.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.  
No. 363

THE following Particulars and Conditions of SALE of CROWN LAND by Public Auction, to be held on the Spot, on MONDAY, the 28th day of September, 1896, at 3 p.m., are published for general information.

By Command,  
J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Hongkong, 12th September, 1896. 1910

Particulars and Conditions of the Letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 28th day of Sep., 1896, at 3 p.m., by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of Crown Land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 999 years.

Particulars of the Lot.

No. of Section.	Boundary Measure.	Area in Acres.	Area in Sq. Yds.
1	ft. in. ft. in. ft. in.		
1	278 0 0	278 0 0	150 000 000

Notice of Firm.

NOTICE.

WE have this Day ESTABLISHED a GENERAL MERCHANTS and COMMISSION AGENTS under the Name of

FLOOD, KIRCH & Co.  
Canton, 10-5 September, 1896.

JAMES FLOOD,  
GEORGE FLOOD,  
H. E. KIRCH.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between J. Y. V. VERNON, and PAUL J. H. JORDAN, under the Name and Style of CHATEL & VERNON, Share and General Brokers, has this Day been DISSOLVED by mutual consent.

All outstanding Transactions will be carried out in the joint names of the Undersigned.

J. Y. V. VERNON,  
PAUL JORDAN.

Hongkong, September 1, 1896.

With reference to the above, I shall continue the business of SHARE and GENERAL BROKER, in my own name, from this date.

J. Y. V. VERNON.  
Hongkong, September 1, 1896.

With reference to the above, I shall continue the business of SHARE and GENERAL BROKER, in my own name, from this date.

PAUL JORDAN.  
Hongkong, September 1, 1896.

NOTICE.

I HAVE this Day commenced Business as a GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.

V. SHEWAN.  
Hongkong, July 20, 1895.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-third Ordinary Meeting of the Society will be held at the Head Office No. 4 The Arcade, Hongkong, on Thursday, the 5th October, 1896, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors, together with statements of accounts for the year 1895, and for the half-year ending the 30th June, 1896, and of declaring dividends.

The transfer books of the Society will be closed from the 5th September to the 5th October, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board.

N. J. EDE,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, September 17, 1896.

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HOLIDAY WINE & CO.

Hongkong, September 11, 1896.

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## Intimations.

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## Rainier Beer!!



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F. BISHOP,

Acting Manager.

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ICE HOUSE LANE.

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**DWELLING HOUSES**—  
Nos. 2, 3 and 4, EIPON TERRACE,  
"LA BAULEND," at the "TAN"  
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GODOWNS in BLUE BUILDINGS.  
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**THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-**  
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Hongkong, September 22, 1896. 233

## To Let.

**TO LET.**  
**5-ROOMED BUNGALOW "RHEDA,"**  
BONHAM ROAD.  
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**CHINA MERCHANTS' S. N. CO.,**  
No. 22, PRINCE STREET.  
Hongkong, June 8, 1896. 1177

## To Let.

**TO LET.**  
**WESTBOURNE VILLA NORTH,**  
BONHAM ROAD.  
IDLEWILD, SKYRORA ROAD.  
No. 2, ALBANY, immediately above the  
PUBLIC GARDENS.  
Apply to  
**LINSTEAD & DAVIS.**  
Hongkong, July 1, 1896. 1326

## To Let.

**TO LET.**  
**NOS. 2 and 3, STEWART TERRACE**  
—(THE PRINCE).  
Apply to  
**J. W. NOBLE.**  
Hongkong, August 23, 1896. 1745

## Intimations.

### THE CHINESE MAIL

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THIS paper is now issued every day. The subscription is fixed at Five Dollars per annum delivered in Hongkong, or Eleven Dollars Forty Cents including postage to Coast ports. It is the first Chinese Newspaper ever issued under purely native direction. The chief support of the paper is of course derived from the native community, amongst whom also are to be found the guarantors and securities necessary to place it on a business and legal footing. The proprietors, basing their estimate upon the most reliable information from the various Ports in China and Japan, from Australia, California, Singapore, Penang, Saigon, and other places frequented by the Chinese, consider themselves justified in guaranteeing a large and ever-increasing circulation. The advantages offered to subscribers are therefore unusually great, and the foreign community generally will find it to their interest to avail themselves of them.

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**TONIC**  
OF  
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**AND IRON.**  
OVER 300 MEDICAL CERTIFICATES  
Notifying its great strength-giving properties and at the same time being of an  
**EXQUISITE TASTE.**  
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**A. S. WATSON & Co., Hongkong.**  
Hongkong, August 22, 1896. 1702

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## SHARE LIST—QUOTATIONS—SEPTEMBER 24, 1896.

Stocks.	No. of Shares.	Value.	Paid-up.	Closing Quotations, Cash.
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp.	80,000	\$ 12	all	191 % prem. = \$363.75, (sales & sellers)
Bank of China & Japan, Limited	33,950	\$ 12	all	200 % prem. = \$363.75, (sales & sellers)
Ordinary preference shares	100,000	\$ 12	all	200 % prem. = \$363.75, (sales & sellers)
Deferred	1,250	\$ 12	all	200 % prem. = \$363.75, (sales & sellers)
National Bank of China, Limited.	10,000	\$ 25	all	\$193, sellers
Canton Insurance Office Co., Ltd.	10,000	\$ 25	all	\$193, sellers
China Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd.	24,000	\$ 33.3	all	\$193, sellers
North-China Insurance Co., Ltd.	5,000	\$ 50	all	\$193, sellers
Strait Insurance Co., Ltd.	30,000	\$ 10	all	\$193, sellers
Union Insurance Society, Ltd.	10,000	\$ 25	all	\$193, sellers
Yangtze Insurance Association, Ltd.	10,000	\$ 25	all	\$193, sellers
China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	20,000	\$ 10	all	\$193, sellers
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	8,000	\$ 25	all	\$193, sellers
H'kong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.	12,500	\$ 12	all	202 % prem. = \$377.50, (sellers)
China and South Sea S. S. Co., Ltd.	5,000	\$ 5	all	\$71, sellers
Douglas Steamship Co., Limited.	20,000	\$ 5	all	\$65, sellers
H.K. & M. Steamship Co., Ltd.	20,000	\$ 5	all	\$65, sellers
Indo China S. N. Company, Limited	50,000	\$ 1	all	\$4.10, sellers
China Mutual S. N. Co.	20,000	\$ 1	all	\$4.10, sellers
Do. (new issue)	20,000	\$ 1	all	\$4.10, sellers
China Sugar Company, Limited.	20,000	\$ 10	all	\$131, sellers
Luzon Sugar Company, Limited.	7,000	\$ 10	all	\$65, sellers
H.K. & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co.	20,000	\$ 5	all	\$68, sales and buyers
Wharves	2,500	\$ 10	all	\$71, sales and buyers
Company, Limited.	2,500	\$ 10	all	\$71, sales and buyers
LAND AND BUILDING.				
Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited.	50,000	\$ 10	all	\$70, sellers
Kowloon Land and Building Company, Limited.	6,000	\$ 5	all	\$3, sellers
Hongkong Electric & Power Co.	25,000	\$ 1	all	\$1, sellers
West Point Building Co., Limited.	12,500	\$ 5	all	\$4, buyers
TRAMWAYS.				
H.K. High-Level Tramways Co., Ltd.	1,200	\$ 10	all	\$96
Jadeite Mining & Trading Co., Ltd.	45,000	\$ 5	all	\$10, sellers
Panjo Mining Co., Ltd.	50,000	\$ 5	all	\$10, sales
Société Française des Charbonnages du Tonkin.	12,000	\$ 50	all	\$73, sellers
New Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	50,000	\$ 5	all	\$2, sellers
Raub Aust. Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	100,000	\$ 1	all	\$1.50, sales and buyers
Oliviera Freehold Mines, Ltd.	1,500	\$ 5	all	\$2, sellers
PLANTING, ETC.				
China-Burma Company, Ltd.	7,500	\$ 10	all	\$6, nom.
H. G. Brown & Co., Limited, in liq.	6,000	\$ 50	all	in liq.
HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LTD.	6,000	\$ 5	all	\$20, sellers
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited.	60,000	\$ 1	all	\$12.55, sales
Dakin, Crickhank & Co., Ltd.	30,000	\$ 1	all	\$1, buyers
LIQUOR.				
H.K. and China Gas Co., Limited.	7,000	\$ 1	all	\$110, buyers
Hongkong Electric Co., Ltd.	10,000	\$ 1	all	\$8.85, sales and sellers
SHIRAZ AND CEMENT.				
Green Island Cement Co., Ltd.	20,000	\$ 1	all	\$10.17, sales
MICROFILMS.				
Bell's Antarctic Eastern Agency, Ltd.	3,000	\$ 1	all	\$1.21, nom.
Camphell, Moore & Co., Limited.	1,200	\$ 1	all	\$1.16, nom.
Gen. Fenwick & Co., Limited.	6,000	\$ 1	all	\$2.50, nom.
Hongkong Battery Company, Ltd.	8,000	\$ 1	all	\$3, nom.
Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Ltd.	10,000	\$ 1	all	\$1.50, nom.
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited.	5,000	\$ 1	all	\$1.50, nom.
H'kong Rope Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	5,000	\$ 1	all	\$1.27, sellers
New Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd.	10,000	\$ 10	all	\$100, sellers
International Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	10,000	\$ 10	all	\$100, sellers
Luen-King-Low Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd.	8,000	\$ 10	all	\$100, sellers
Carmichael & Co., Ltd.	2,000	\$ 1	all	\$2.03, sellers
Soy Chee Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	2,000	\$ 1	all	\$2.00, sellers
Founder's shares				

LOANS. Amount. Value. Interest. Quotations.  
China Loan (1895) 1895 \$ 100,000 \$ 100,000 5 % annual 102 % prem.

## Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late arrivals and departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing from Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked A., near the Kowloon shore K., and those in the body of the Harbour or midway between each shore are marked Z., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

- Section.
1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
  2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf.
  3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour Master's Office.
  4. From Harbour Master's Office to the P. & O. Co.'s Office.
  5. From P. & O. Co.'s Office to Polder's Wharf.
  6. From Polder's Wharf to the Naval Yard.
  7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings.
  8. From Blue Buildings to East Point.
  9. From East Point to North Point.
  10. Kowloon Wharf.
  11. Jardine's Wharf.

Vessel's Name.	Section.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
<b>Steamers.</b>							
Adriatic	7	Brit. str.	319	June 16	A. R. Marly	Kobe	K'loon Dock
Ancona	5	Brit. str.	2384	June 27	Dodwell, Carill & Co.	Kobe	K'loon Dock
Anvers	5	Belg. str.	1838	Sept. 21	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Nagasaki	Pomarrow
Britannic	3	Norw. str.	1507	Sept. 18	Butterfield & Swire	Shanghai	Quarry Bay
Bygdø	3	Norw. str.	771	Sept. 4	Shewan, Tomes & Co.	Shanghai	Dock K'loon
China	3	Norw. str.	1113	Sept. 21	Siemens & Co.	Shanghai	Abdeen Dock
Choyang	3	Brit. str.	1194	Sept. 24	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Coptic	3	Brit. str.	2714	Sept. 22	O. & S. S. Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Deception	3	Brit. str.	1347	Sept. 9	Butterfield & Swire	Shanghai	30th inst.
Empress of Japan	3	Brit. str.	6000	Sept. 14	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Evolution	3	Brit. str.	1570	Sept. 22	Lau, Wegener & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Frederick	3	Brit. str.	1685	Sept. 23	Hongkong Steamship Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Freiburg	3	Brit. str.	1905	Sept. 18	Melchers & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Fushun	3	Brit. str.	1504	Sept. 24	C. M. S. N. Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Guilin	3	Brit. str.	2690	Sept. 4	O. & S. S. Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Guthrie	3	Brit. str.	1489	Sept. 21	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Hiroshima Maru	3	Brit. str.	2873	Sept. 23	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Shanghai	30th inst.
Johnson	3	Brit. str.	1000	Sept. 15	Melchers & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Kachidate Maru	3	Brit. str.	2143	Sept. 17	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha	Shanghai	30th inst.
Krimhild	3	Brit. str.	1930	Sept. 21	Siemens & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Kwaiyang	3	Brit. str.	1084	Sept. 23	Butterfield & Swire	Shanghai	30th inst.
Kwongsang	3	Brit. str.	987	Sept. 24	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Lightning	3	Brit. str.	2821	Sept. 21	David, Sassoon Sons & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Monroe	3	Brit. str.	882	Sept. 25	Butterfield & Swire	Shanghai	30th inst.
Merionethshire	3	Brit. str.	1969	Sept. 20	Dodwell, Carill & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Ningchow	3	Brit. str.	705	Aug. 23	Chinese	Shanghai	30th inst.
Odo	3	Brit. str.	773	Sept. 20	Chinese	Shanghai	30th inst.
Prinz Heinrich	3	Brit. str.	3902	Sept. 22	Melchers & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Radley	3	Brit. str.	1384	Sept. 23	Melchers & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Sabine Richmond	3	Brit. str.	689	Sept. 24	Arnold, Karberg & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Sarallah	3	Brit. str.	1488	Sept. 23	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Strathleven	3	Brit. str.	1688	June 18	Chinese	Shanghai	30th inst.
Siam	3	Brit. str.	945	Sept. 23	Siemens & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Tai Lee	3	Brit. str.	828	Sept. 20	Mayer & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Taiwan	3	Brit. str.	1109	Sept. 24	Butterfield & Swire	Shanghai	30th inst.
Tatara	3	Brit. str.	1812	Sept. 22	Siemens & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Ton Maru	3	Brit. str.	3689	Sept. 24	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Shanghai	30th inst.
Triton	3	Brit. str.	1885	Sept. 20	Bradley & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Victoria	3	Brit. str.	889	Sept. 24	Chinese	Shanghai	30th inst.
Victoria	3	Brit. str.	1892	Sept. 14	Dodwell, Carill & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Vinh	3	Brit. str.	1280	Sept. 20	Butterfield & Swire	Shanghai	30th inst.
Vungang	3	Brit. str.	1105	Sept. 24	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Zafiro	3	Brit. str.	678	Sept. 24	Shewan, Tomes & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
<b>Sailing Vessels.</b>							
Belie of Bath	4	Brit. str.	1047	Sept. 2	Captain	Shanghai	30th inst.
Comblance	4	Brit. str.	653	Aug. 2	Siemens & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Deception	4	Brit. str.	1446	Sept. 12	Arnold, Karberg & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
O. E. Moody	4	Brit. str.	1915	July 4	Arnold, Karberg & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Fooding Sney	4	Brit. str.	980	July 31	Order	Shanghai	30th inst.
Glen Calad	4	Brit. str.	460	Mar. 1	Gilman & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Helen Brewer	4	Brit. str.	1516	Sept. 6	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Iry	4	Brit. str.	1181	Aug. 3	Musso & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
John Bailey	4	Brit. str.	1345	Aug. 15	Siemens & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Joseph	4	Brit. str.	796	July 31	D. Musso & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Lothar	4	Brit. str.	1820	Aug. 16	Government	Shanghai	30th inst.
Northbrook	4	Brit. str.	481	Aug. 1	Wieler & Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Orient	4	Brit. str.	1496	July 1	Standard Oil Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Parasit	4	Brit. str.	1811	June 19	Standard Oil Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Reverber	4	Brit. str.	1311	June 19	Standard Oil Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Sachem	4	Brit. str.	1788	Aug. 2	Standard Oil Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
S. D. Carleton	4	Brit. str.	1891	Sept. 1	Standard Oil Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
Siam	4	Brit. str.	1891	Sept. 1	Standard Oil Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
St. Mark	4	Brit. str.	1423	Sept. 1	Standard Oil Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
W. H. Conner	4	Brit. str.	1896	Sept. 1	Standard Oil Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
W. H. Smith	4	Brit. str.	1896	Sept. 1	Standard Oil Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.
W. J. Raich	4	Brit. str.	1896	Sept. 1	Standard Oil Co.	Shanghai	30th inst.

## Her Britannic Majesty's Ships on the China Station.

Name.	Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	H.P.	Captain.	Where at.
Boles	two-masted cruiser 2nd class	3600	21	7000	Captain Robert L. Croome	Yokohama
Comblance	dispatch vessel	1770	12	2200	Commander F. G. De Laune	Hakodate
Deception	cruiser 3rd class	1770	10	4186	Comd. C. R. Knibbs	Shanghai
Constitution*	two-masted battle ship	10,500	41	18,000	Captain Spence H. Logan	Nagasaki
Deception	sloop	1149	16	1400	Commander A. C. Galloway	Chungking
Tak	g.-m. 3rd class coast defense	363	9	340	LT-Comd. H. P. Bacon	Shanghai
Deception	cruiser 2nd class	455	6	480	Lieut.-Com. Vernon Mand	Yokohama
Grand	two-masted cruiser 1st class	7,350	36	10,000	Captain E. F. Jones	Shanghai
Stamper	storeship	160	—	8 H.P.	Captain E. F. Jones	Shanghai
Immortalist	armoured cruiser	5600	24	8300	Captain Edward F. W. Wiley	Hongkong
Lanet	gun-vee 2nd class	765	8	1050	Captain Edward F. W. Wiley	Hongkong
Narcissus	armoured cruiser	6-30	34	5,500	Commander R. O. Sparks	Hakodate
Pocom	cruiser 1st class	750	10	1200	Captain H. B. Long	Yokohama
Pigmy	gunboat 1st class	755	10	1200	Lieut.-Com. J. D. Lester	Hongkong
Pique	cruiser	5800	21	8200	Lieut. Dunbar	Hongkong
Plover	gunboat 1st class	755	10	1200	Capt. Henry C. Biggs	Nagasaki
Porpoise	cruiser 3rd class	1770	10	4300	Lieut. Spencer V. Y. de Horsey	Mutsumi
Porpoise	gunboat 1st class	8030	21	7000	Commander F. R. Polley	Shanghai
Rattlesnake	gunboat 1st class	8030	21	7000	Lieut.-Com. C. O. Conroy	Nagasaki
Rattlesnake	gunboat 1st class	715	20	1200	Lieut.-Com. H. B. Galloway	Shanghai
Redpole	gunboat 1st class	803	20	1200	Captain C. E. H. Grafon	Hankow
Spartan	two-masted cruiser 2nd class	3600	21	7000	Captain Alfred L. Winslow	Hakodate
Swift	gun-vee 2nd class	765	8	1010	Commander R. K. Madeline	Hakodate
Thetis	ex-transport	2241	—	—	—	Hongkong
Uman	g.-m. 3rd class coast defense	363	9	340	—	Hongkong
Undisputed	armoured cruiser	5600	5	8300	Captain John S. Halliday	Hongkong
Victor Emanuel	receiving ship	5327	14	1450	Commander Boyen	Hongkong
Waver	coast defense ship, armoured	2700	12	1450	—	Hongkong